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In re application of: **Bedingfield, et al.**

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2. The assignee of this matter is a corporation known as:

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3. Jacqueline Gregorski
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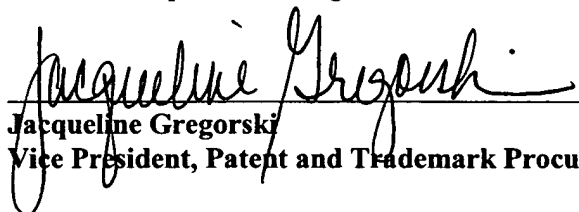
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matter identified above and, to the best of my knowledge and belief, title is in the assignee identified above.

6. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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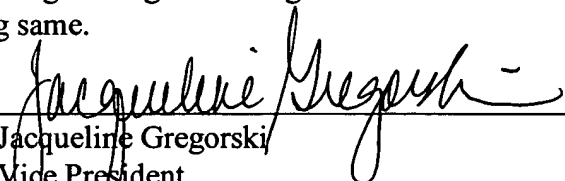
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The certification under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) establishing the right of assignee to take action is attached hereto along with documentation evidencing same.



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